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Saturday AFTERNOON and NIGHT January..... 13

FAVORS INCREASE.

Miners Demand Advance of 10 Cents Per Ton by the Adoption of Scale Committee's Report.

The United Mine Workers district convention yesterday adopted the report of the scale committee, which was in favor of demanding an increase of the mining rate of 10 cents a ton, making the pay for mining a ton of coal 95 cents. The committee on resolutions reported back the resolutions requiring any district officer who holds a salaried position outside the organization to resign his position with the organization. The resolution were directed at Secretary-Treasurer William Dodds who is clerk of courts and a candidate for re-election as secretary-treasurer. The matter was discussed a long time, with some bitterness on both sides, and was referred back to the committee, which will draft a resolution and report it to the convention.

It was announced that the 115 delegates would leave for the national convention at Indianapolis at 7:15 p. m. tomorrow on the Wabash railroad. Heretofore the Pennsylvania railroad has carried the delegates, but James Watchhorn complained that line had not treated the delegates properly in former years, and that on one occasion the delegates might as well have traveled in a box car, the accommodations having been so inferior.

The committee on constitution reported in favor of the amendment that no person holding coal mining stock can be an officer or a member of the executive board. The election tellers will report today and objections will be made to the throwing out of the vote of certain locals.

K. of P.

Grand Lodge Officers to Visit Monessen on Tuesday, January 16.

A meeting of much interest to our local K. of P. men will be held in Monessen next Tuesday, when the Grand Lodge officers of the state meet in Monessen. A visit of this body of officials means much to a local lodge and their presence always caused an awakening that results in much good to the order All Knights are especially requested to be present.

Church Notes.

Bethany Baptist church, opera house hall, Henry Madtes, pastor — Morning topic "Evangelization" Evening subject "Men's Nearness to the Kingdom"

St. Paul's Lutheran congregation, worshipping in the Trescher building over Frantz & Boyd's store will hear sermons tomorrow on "Conditions of Blessing," and "Paul's Reproof of Peter." Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Christian church—Services conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. B. Smith will be held as follows: 11 a. m. "An Open Door." 7:30 p. m. "The First Gospel Sermon." A special effort is being made to enlist all the members of the Christian church in the city who are not members of the congregation here in the work of the local organization. There is a great work to be done here, and we shall need the combined strength and effort of every disciple in the city to accomplish it. Will not all those who have entered the Lord's service come over and help us? Your place is in the ranks of the Lord's servants, and a glad welcome awaits you there. All others are cordially invited to attend these services.

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INTERESTING NEWS

Gathered by Our Reporters in Monessen and Vicinity.

Toilet articles—we are leaders—Lights

J. B. Scott is in Pittsburg today on business.

Prescriptions — take them to Light Light's Drug store.

"What Happened to Jones," at the opera house tonight.

Knocks coughs—Whites Pine compound—Light's.

Mrs C W. Morris, of Motheral avenue, is confined to her bed by illness.

Kirk Says—Why cough when Laxative Keytone will cure it. tf

W. F. Seanor, proprietor of the Fifth Avenue hotel, and daughter, were in Pittsburg yesterday.

T. W. Newhouse is transacting business in Greensburg today.

Architect J. A. Lohman is a McKeesport business visitor today.

Mrs. D. M. Murdock of Homestead, is visiting her friend, Mrs. R D. Stanley of Donner avenue.

Mrs. A. G. Dunlap was a passenger on the morning train to the City.

A dainty face cream that makes dainty faces is Kirk's Carnation cream, 25c a bottle. tf

Harry Mack, formerly with H. J. Bearer, but now of Belle Vernon, is down with tpphoid fever.

Those who have none should go to Cowans at once and secure a photograph of themselves.

Dr. Barben, Dentist—A penny saved is a penny earned, a tooth filled is a tooth saved at this office. Phone 53 L.

Mr. Jay Wilson, one of Rostraver's hustling farmers, is among Monessen's business callers today.

The Ministerial Association will listen to a paper by Rev. J. V. Wright on Monday morning at 10:30.

The cottage "week of prayer" services conducted by St. Paul's Lutheran church were well attended and very edifying.

Mr. A. W. Davis has received a unique gift from the Page office force. It is a real live screech owl and a very interesting bird.

$15,000.00 to loan on first mortgages, in sums from $1,000.00 to $10,000.00. Inquire of W. W. Luce & Co., Monessen and Belle Vernon.

The East End Athletic club announce a grand masquerade ball in Kelly's hall on Tuesday, Feb. 13, which will more fully be made public next week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lebowitz yesterday a 7½ pound baby girl. The mother is getting along well and Harry, of course, is wearing the fatherly smile.

Mrs. Charles Lohe, of Pittsburg, sister of Mrs. Thos. Cowan, of Schoonmaker avenue, is slowly improving at the Homepathic hospital, where she was operated on for appendicitis.

Mr. Del Batis, a gospel singer of Pittsburg, will sing tonight at 8 o'clock, Sabbath at 2:30 and 8 p. m. T. Howard McCormick will have charge of the meeting held in the hall, 554 Donner avenue.

Miss Pearl Rowe is lying dangerously ill at the Allegheny General hospital where she underwent an operation today at 8 o'clock. Her sisters, Mrs. Minnie King of Monessen, and Miss Naomi Rowe of Niagara Falls went to her bedside last night.

Gratifying progress is being made to give a silver medal oratorical contest in Kelly's hall on Jan. 23. A class of young ladies is in training under the instruction of Rev. M. M. Allbeck and they promise well. The contest is under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. An admission of only ten cents will be charged and a large audience will no doubt attend.

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WEBSTER NOTES.

Webster's young people are certainly enjoying the snow.

The political pot has begun to boil. The new officers are of course pictured in the distance.

The M. D's tell us there is less sickness in Webster this winter than was ever known before.

The omnipient Lew Muncey of Fayette City, was here circulating among friends in Webster yesterday

Mr. Geo. Muse, West Newton's prominent civil engineer, was in Webster in connection with his business Friday.

Webster's public school is passing through a most profitable session this winter. More interest is being taken by both the faculty and scholars than has ever been known in this place. The able principal, Mr. C. H. Lash is overwhelmingly proud of his army of pupils and is meeting with encouragement from all patrons of the school.

A special all-week service will be held in the M. E. church, commencing Monday, Jan. 14 at 7 p. m. These meetings will be conducted by the pastor, Rev Judson Jeffries, who extends a cordial invitation to every one, of all races to come and take part. The congregation is installing a new gas light system in their edifice and is in a most flourishing condition.

AT THE THEATRE.

"Maud Muller on a Summer's day
"Raked the meadow sweet with hay."

Then the Judge came riding by, and became deeply impressed with the simple beauty and rusic health which glowed beneath the girl's torn hat. Neverless, he rode on, and never again saw the pretty little haymaker. That is the poem, and it is, as we know, touching and beautiful and heartreaching. But is not a play. Now at one of those corn husking assemblages, known as "Harvest Homes" Judge Wayne meets Maud, the charming daughter of farmer Muller falls in love with her, has her sent to boarding school for two years and then marries her, greatly to the disgust of his haughty sister Theodora. Things said by the latter make the young wife suppose her grand husband is ashamed of his rustic bride, and she leaves him and takes refuge with old friends in Boston, and after in the Maine woods. Her desertion, and his vain efforts to trace her, breaks the health of husband, and in the Hemlock woods of Maine he seeks rest and restoration. There, of course the estranged couple accidentally encounter. What follows can best be learned from the comedy. In bright humor and genuine heart interest, the role of Nate Harpin, backwoods poet, is the strongest comedy character upon the stage. At the opera house Monday, Jan. 15, 1906.

The Vote Counted.

The result of the ballot at the special election last Tuesday to fill the vacancy in the Legislature caused by the death of Representative Heister, has been tabulated and is as follows:

C. L. Schuck, R.....4,709
F. J. Harvey, D 2,544
Townsend, P..... 812

Mr. Schuck's majority over all was 1,353.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Primaries Saturday, January 20.

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The Voting Contest

The voting contest for the benefit of the Monessen band will close at 7:30 this evening and the result will be made known at the opera house during the play "What Happened to Jones" Following is the vote as it stands at noon today:

Mollie Sibbit.....4197
Stella Doney.....2601
Miss Coleman.....3297
Hallie Feightner.....1756
Georgia Fohl.....1688

A Coming Social Event.

The Uniformed Rank, K. of P. will hold a series of euchres and dances, beginning Monday, January 29, in Kelly's hall. These entertainments will be given for the benefit of the Uniformed Rank and will be among the first functions of the season.

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Wordsworth's "Joke."

A rare old book, called "The Living Authors of England," published in 1849, commences with a study of Wordsworth, in which is recorded what is said to be the only joke the poet ever made. At a friend's house after dinner, it appears, the conversation turned upon wit and humor. Thomas Moore, who was present, told some anecdotes of Sheridan, whereupon Wordsworth observed that he did not consider himself a witty poet. "Indeed," he said, "I do not think I was ever witty but once in my life."

Being pressed to tell the company what this special drollery was, the poet said, with some hesitation: "Well, I will tell you. I was standing some time ago at the entrance of my cottage at Rydal Mount when a man accosted me with the question, 'Pray, sir, have you seen my wife pass by?' whereupon I answered, 'Why, my good friend, I didn't know till this moment that you had a wife!'"

The company stared and upon realizing that this was all there was to the poet's joke burst into a roar of laughter, which Wordsworth smilingly accepted as a genuine compliment to the brilliancy of his wit.—Harper's Weekly.

He Had References.

In her book "A Southern Girl In '61" Mrs. D. Giraud Wright tells a capital story about General John C. Breckinridge of Kentucky. He was invited by a certain lady of rank in London to luncheon. The lady had just advertised for a footman. Mistaking the hour, General Breckinridge reached the house before the appointed time and by some accident was ushered into Lady Blank's presence without being announced. The day was in June. Owing to the heat the blinds were drawn, letting in subdued light. Lady Blank, glancing at the advancing figure, to the astonishment of the visitor, greeted him thus: "Have you a reference from your last place?" The general took in the situation instantly and, with a twinkle in his eye, unobserved by the hostess, answered respectfully, "Yes, my lady." "What were your duties?" was the next query. "Well, my lady, in the last three places I held I was vice president of the United States, major general in the Confederate army and secretary of war of the Confederate States of America."

Usually.

Jack—Hello, Fred! Had your hair cut? Fred—Yes, old fellow. I found a place where they cut your hair while you wait. Jack—That's good. A barber's shop is usually a place where they cut some other man's hair while you wait.

A witty Frenchman said, "Only death is an excuse for not keeping a dinner engagement, and even then a polite man would send the undertaker to apologize for him."

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The Gates of Paradise.

When the plague which visited Florence in the year 1400 had subsided the people decided as a thank offering to add bronze gates to the baptistery of the Church of St. John the Baptist, and the guild of merchants invited the best artists of the day to compete. The design of Ghiberti was considered faultless, and he was intrusted with the work on Nov. 23, 1403. It was twenty-one years before the two folding doors were completed, and so exquisite was their design and workmanship that Michael Angelo a century later said of them, "They are worthy to be the gates of paradise." This applied also to another door wrought and designed by the same artist, which was put in place June 16, 1452, a most important creation of Florentine art and one which evidently influenced Michael Angelo himself.

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Count Carpi and His Daughter

[Original.]

When as a result of the Franco-Prussian war the Germans moved their territory westward a part of the border line was the river Moselle. The city of Nancy is on the French side of the river and is only 150 miles from Paris. Very naturally the French on one side and the Germans on the other have done a good deal of fortifying, and each keeps a considerable force either on the border or within a short distance.

One morning Francois Villiers, a young French lieutenant of artillery, was inspecting the guns on a fort near Nancy when a white haired old gentleman very carefully dressed, with a young lady hanging affectionately to his arm, strolled toward the lieutenant and watched him wuile he made his inspection.

"M'sieu," said the old man, "I very much like to inquire what you do." Then, turning to the girl, he said in Italian, "Bianca, ask him what he is doing." The girl proceeded to tell the lieutenant that her father had been a soldier in his younger days in the Italian army and took an interest in the changes in warfare, especially in arms, since forty years ago.

Villiers returned the bewitching glance Signorina Bianca gave him and proceeded to explain to her father the manner of loading and firing the gun and the kind of ammunition used. The old man was greatly interested in and profoundly astonished at the wonderful change in weapons since he had fought against Garibaldi in 1860. Villiers showed him other guns and various kinds of ammunition, some of which was a new type. Of course the young lady acted as interpreter. Villiers was talking through her to the old man and to her through his own and her eyes, there being two distinct topics of conversation, war and love She laid her soft hand on one of the big guns, and it was like the touch of a kitten's paw. Then she started back as if she had handled a miniature volcano.

"Here comes the officer of the day," said Villiers suddenly. "Please walk on, and I will join you after he has passed. We are not permitted to give any information on military matters to any one."

The young lady seemed to have difficulty in making her father understand the reason for the request. He evidently could not see why he should not be given all the information aboveboard he desired. Whereupon Villiers explained that the German government kept a swarm of spies busy all the while trying to gain information of the French improvements in arms, ammunition, movements of troops and increase of fortifications. The old gentleman at this declined to accept any further information and, being tired, sat down on a bench. His daughter, not so sensitive, strolled along the parapet with the officer with a view to seeing more interesting sights.

"Signorina," he said as soon as they were out of hearing, "I have been delighted, thrilled, with your presence here. May I not have the honor, the exquisite pleasure, of calling on you?"

"My father is very old fashioned," she replied. "He will not consent to my receiving any one who is not noble. He always says Count Carpi's daughter must not associate with any but of her own kind."

"I must see you again. We are to get in a new kind of projectile tonight, put in secretly that the Germans may not get hold of it. Will you not induce your father to come and examine it?"

"I will try," replied the girl, blushing and hanging her head.

At 11 o'clock that evening Count Carpi and his daughter were admitted into the fort, being passed by the guard at Lieutenant Villers' order and witnessed the storing of thousands of shells. Count Carpi was even furnished with the fuse of one of them, being cautioned by the lieutenant not to show it to any one, since his giving it might cause him to be shot for treason. The count put his hand on his heart and declared that he would sooner be shot himself than permit any one to see it. By midnight the work of storing the shells was finished, and the count and his daughter departed, the latter promising to communicate with Villiers at the earliest opportunity.

The next morning Lieutenant Villiers was engaged with his guns on the parapet when, looking out upon a bridge, he saw an old man and a girl walking across toward German territory. The pair were Count Carpi and Bianca. The lieutenant smiled. The pair proceeded to the headquarters of the officer in command of the district and were admitted to his presence.

"Well, Bellona," said the officer, "what did you gather?"

"We learned from a simpleton about the guns on the fort and last night witnessed the storing of a new kind of shell just got in. Here is the fuse used—something lately devised—a wonderful invention."

He handed the fuse to the officer, who glanced at it, then threw it in his face.

"You old fool," he said, "that belongs to an antique pattern of shell, and they were doubtless getting them out of the way. They evidently got on to you and fooled you. Well, I think you had better go back to your bake shop. You know more about macaroni than artillery. And you," turning to the girl, "had better work by yourself in future. You might pick up something valuable."

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